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j. DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)			15 Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (If foreign pnority is claimed)						
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	First Named Inventor	R. J. Baker	
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METHOD OF PAYMENT	FEE CALCULATION (continued)						
1. X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge	3. ADDITIONAL FEES						
indicated fees and credit any overpayments to: Deposit		Large Entity Small Entity					
Account Number	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid	
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37 CFR 1 16 and 1 17 37 CFR 1 27	147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination		
2. X Payment Enclosed	112	920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action		
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FEE CALCULATION	115	110	215	55	Extension for reply within first month		
1. BASIC FILING FEE	116	390	216	195	Extension for reply within second month		
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101 710 201 355 Utility filing fee 710 00	128	1,890	228	945	Extension for reply within fifth month		
106 320 206 160 Design filing fee	119	310	219	155	Notice of Appeal		
107 490 207 245 Plant filing fee	120	310	220	155	Filing a brief in support of an appeal		
108 710 208 355 Reissue filing fee	121	270	221	135	Request for oral hearing		
114 150 214 75 Provisional filing fee	138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding		
SUBTOTAL (1) (\$) 710.00	140	110	240	55	Petition to revive – unavoidable		
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2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES Claims below Fee Paid	142	1,240	242	620	Utility issue fee (or reissue)		
Total Claims 162 -20** = 142 X 18 00 = 2,556.00	143	440	243	220	Design issue fee		
Independent	144	600	244	300	Plant issue fee		
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Large Entity Small Entity	126	180	126	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt		
Fee Fee Fee Fee Code (\$) Code (\$)	581	40	581	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)		
103 18 203 9 Claims in excess of 20 102 80 202 40 Independent claims in excess of 3	146	710	246	355	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))		
104 270 204 135 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	149	710	249	355	For each additional invention to be examined (37CFR 1.129(b))		
109 80 209 40 ** Reissue independent claims	179	710	279	355	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)		
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